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The fast sailing SHIP

SWIFT PACKET.

She is well calculated as a Packet between this and the southern states, having handsome and extensive accommodations for passengers. She is well suited for the freights or West India trade, and can be sent to sea at a trifling expence. The inventory may be seen and the terms of sale made known by applying to

N. & J. FRAZIER,
No. 95 South Front st.
may 30. d1w3awtf

SHIP BROKER'S OFFICE,
And Commission Store,
No. 119, SOUTH FRONT STREET,
Next door to the Custom House.

THE Subscriber, encouraged by the advice of his friends, offers his service to the public as a Ship and Insurance Broker.——He proposes to buy and sell vessels and every thing relating thereto—assist masters of vessels and others in entering and clearing at the Custom-House, procuring and shipping freight, settling Insurance and all other mercantile accounts, and have on hand the necessary Blanks and Stamps.

Papers in foreign languages translated, and information given in general mercantile matters. —From a knowledge gained by long experience of every branch of business he hopes to be useful to those who please to favor him with their commands. *SAMUEL EMERY.*
november 19 22w

Just Imported,

In the Adriana from London, and for Sale by the subscriber,

A very neat assortment of the following

GOODS,

Suitable for exportation,
Dimities, printed and plain
Muslinetts, do
Marseilles, do
Ginghams well assorted
Callicoes and chintzes of the neatest and newest patterns
Fine cotton shirtings,
Printed linnen handkerchiefs
An assortment of brown sheetings
THOMAS GILPIN.
149, south Front street.
6 mo. 28 co2w

FOR SALE,

By SIMON WALKER,
Pine-street, near Fifth street.

400 boxes Tin Plates,
Hardware, assorted in casks,
Sadlery, assorted in casks,
Woolwich proof CANNON, *viz.*
4 pounders, 8 and 11 cwt each } with
6 pounders, 11, 13, 15 & 18 cwt. each } carri-
9 pounders, 20 and 23 cwt. each } ages
12 pounders 22 cwt. each. } com-
4 short 18 pound carronades. } plete.
Round, Double headed and Cannister shot,
English Cannon Powder,
Cutlasses and Boarding pikes,
Muskets and Pistols,
Iron Crow Bars.

ALSO, for sale,

40 boxes Brown } HAVANNA SUGAR
10 ditto White }
june 28 d1m

ROSS & SIMSON,
HAVE FOR SALE,

300 pieces 1st and 2d quality Ruffia Duck
100 pieces Ravens Duck (superior)
Boston Beef in Barrels,
A few bales Bengal } COSSAS HUMHUMS.
1100 bushels St. Martins Salt.
april 11 §

Now Landing from the ship Delaware, from Canton and for sale by the Subscribers,

Hyson, } TEAS.
Hyson Skin,
Young Hyson, &
Souchong,
Canton and Garden Fans,
Nankeens,
China Ware, assorted.
Umbrellas 13 to 30 inches,
Silk Handkerchiefs,
Hair Ribbons and Sewing Silks.

They have also remaining on Hand

Black Persians, Choppa and Pullicat Romalls,
And a general assortment of Dry Goods as usual.

Thomas & Joshua Fisher.
4th mo 26 §

Old French Brandy in large and small cases
100 boxes 7 by 9 & 8 by 10 Window Glass
20 chest pint & half pint Tumblers, assorted
226 whole & 6 half-tierces Rice,
FOR SALE BY
Gurney & Smith.
may 1, 1799 §

TO BE SOLD,

An Invoice of Woollens,

CONSISTING of Coarse and Fine Cloths,—principally Dark Blue, and printed Cassimeres —Apply to

Owen & Jonathan Jones,
No. 151 Market-street.
april 29 §

Lost or Mislaid,

A CERTIFICATE of one share of the Bank of the United States bearing date 1st January 1793, in the name of Joseph Thornburgh, No. 5138, for the renewal of which application hath been made at said Bank, and all persons concerned are desired to take notice thereof.

ROBERT DENISON, Junr.
Philadelphia, june 11. d3m

RECEIVED,

BY THE LATE ARRIVALS,

From LONDON and LIVERPOOL,

And now offered for sale, by the package only,

ON VERY LOW TERMS.

10 bales of superior British sail Canvass
12 do. of Rose Blankets striped Duffels & Rugs
5 trunks well assorted Printed Callicoes,
2 bales Yorkshire Broadcloths
4 bales low priced mixt Coatings and Duffells
2 cases of Madam Le Brun Boileau's fashionable Patent Hats and Bonnets
Pins—assorted in small cases
Townsend and Compton's Pewter—well assorted in small casks.

ALSO, Daily Expected,

By Vessels in the Spring Convoy,

4000 bushels, high dried, stoved Salt
150 crates of assorted Earthen Ware
A few tons of the best clean St. Petersburgh Hemp
Patent Shot assorted in casks of 50wt each
White and Red Lead, in casks of 2cwt each
Crown Glass in boxes of 100 and 50 feet each,
London Superfine Broadcloths, and
A few hundred Casks of Nails.

MEDFORD & WILLIS,
No. 78 North Front, near Arch-street.
june 21

LANDING.

From on board the DOROTHEA, at Willings and Francis's wharf, and for SALE by the subscribers,

An assortment of

GERMAN LINENS,

—CONSISTING OF—

Estopillas	Guingas
Platillas Royales	Dowlas
Brown Platillas	Creas à la Morlaix
Bretagnes	Silesia white Rools
Rouanes	Warendorp linen
Checks & Stripes	Table Linen
Lestadoes	Linen fit for coffee bags
Bielefield Linen,	Pocket handkerchiefs

LIKEWISE,

German broad Cloth	50 hhds. claret
Thread	1200 demijohns
French silk Stockings	155 liquor cases
Swedish Iron	300 cases claret

12 pipes Holland Gin.

ON HAND,

Russia Bristles,
English Sail Cloth,
St. Petersburgh Hemp,
English Silk Goods—consisting of Satins, Ribbons, Persins, &c.
ERICK & LEWIS BOLLMANN,
113, south Third street.
june 26 d1f

IRISH LINENS.

Just received, via New-York, also by the ship Stockport from Liverpool, a good assortment of

4-4 wide Irish Linens,

in half boxes,

Which will be disposed of by the package on reasonable terms by

JAMES CLIBORN & ENGLISH.
No. 13, south Front street.
june 14 tu t sa tf

NICKLIN & GRIFFITH,
HAVE FOR SALE,
No. 165, Chesnut-Street,
Received by the last arrivals from Liverpool.

Ginghams, } In small chests, and trunks, suited either for exportation or home trade.
Dimitys,
Muslinettes,
Muslins,
Printed Callicoes,
Checks,
Silk Striped Nankeens,

Cassimeres, elegantly assorted in small bales
Wildbore Fancys, in do.
Ternando Serges, in do.
Broad Says in do.
Coarse Woolens in bales

ON HAND.

Sail canvass by the bale or piece, No. 1 and 5
Nails 4, 6, 8 sprigs, clouts, clasps, sheathing and scupper
Sheet copper and copper bottoms
Sheathing paper
Yellow ochre in casks
China ware assorted in boxes
A quantity of empty port wine bottles
London parricular & India market } In pipes and
Madeira wine } hogsheads
30 puncheons St. Kitts rum
20 ditto country ditto
11 six pound cannon
10 four pound ditto, with carriages, hand-spikes, rammers, spunges, shot &c compleat
Gun-powder in casks
july 9 eodtf

JOHN MILLER, JUN.
No. 80, Dock, near Third Street.
Has for Sale.

Cossas,
Baftas,
Mamoodies,
Taffaties,
Colicoes,
Patna } Handkerchiefs.
Romal and
Mulmul

The foregoing goods are now to be sold at

REDUCED PRICES,

N. B. Many of these Goods may be printed to advantage in this country
may 16 3awtf

Lost or Mislaid,

A CERTIFICATE of one share of the Bank of the United States, No. 4933, in the name of Julia Wadsworth Knox, and for which, application is made at the Bank of the United States for the renewal of said certificate; and all persons concerned are desired to take notice. CLEMENT BIDDLE.
may 23 d3m

TAKE NOTICE.

THE subscriber, having obtained Letters of Administration on the personal Estate of John Morton, late of Cœcal County in the state of Maryland, deceased; all persons having claims against the said deceased, are warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, on the 6th day of August next, at the town of Warwick, in said county and state, that a dividend of the assetts in hand, may be made agreeable to law.

REBECCA MORTON, Admin'x.
Warwick, July 2. [July 5] 3awt6A.

PRATT & KINTZING,
No. 95, south Water street,
HAVE FOR SALE,

Ninety Packages Ticklenburghs,
Hempen linen and Oznaburgs, from 1/6 to 2/9 per ell.
75 bales brown hessans, brown rolls and wide Polish rolls, suitable for coffee and cotton bags &c. &c.
20 chests patterborrees or white rolls
14 pipes choice old port wine
A few cases claret
25 tons hemp
31 box fine platillas
1 do. Bielefield linen
1 do. brown Holland
1 do. bed ticks, assorted
50 pieces Madras hhkfs
2 boxes Russia drilling
1 do. cambricks and lawns
1 do. tapes
4 bales coffee bags
1 box bunting for colors
2 packages oil cloths
1 barrel snuff-boxes
1 chest quills
A few do. slates and pencils
4 chests Nuremberg toys
1000 Demyjohns
5 chests men's slippers
12 trunks do. coarse shoes
300 sides upper and seal leather
40 kegs yellow ochre
37 do. pearl barley
7 bbls. lentilles
3 casks glue
3 do. hogs bristles
3 do. twine
2 casts coffee mills
A few boxes window glass
20 silver watches
Roll brimstone
Naval stores, anchors, &c. &c.

The above are entitled to drawback, and will be sold at reasonable prices and a generous credit.
july 5 sa&w 2w

FOR SALE,

By the Subscribers at No. 5 Chesnut street, the following articles, viz.

1st and 4th proof Spanish Brandy in pipes,
New England Rum in hhds,
Codfish, in do.
Tobacco, in do.
Rice in tierces,
Beef in bbls. and half bbls.
Mackarel, in do.
Spermaceti Candles in boxes,
Madeira Wine in pipes half pipes & qr. casks
Claret, in cases,
Boston Sail Duck, Nos. 1 2 3.
Russia, ditto, different qualities,
Russia Hemp,
JOSEPH ANTHONY & Co.
July 5, 3taw4w

Fashionable Millinery.

ELIZA M'DOUGALL,
NO. 134, MARKET-STREET,

HAS just received per ship Thomas Chalkley and Adriana, from London, an elegant assortment of the most fashionable MILLINERY, viz.

Chemille rosette FEATHERS
Fancy flowers
Black tiffany flowers
Wreaths
Pink, yellow and blue crape, full dress caps
Do. do. and do. Nelson's bonnets
Infant's pipe straw bonnets
Maid's fancy do. do.
Women's do. do. do.
Do. do. shades
Do. do hats
Fancy bugle shoe roses
Do. do. trimmings
Black, white, blue, yellow, pink and orange crape
Do. gauze cloaks

N. B. And per Harmony, just arrived, a further assortment of Millinery.
June 26 eotf

JUST RECEIVED,
From the BOSTON Manufactory,
A QUANTITY OF
WINDOW GLASS,
Of different sizes.
FOR SALE BY,
ISAAC HARVEY, JUN.

N. B. Any size or sizes that may be wanted cut larger than 18 by 12 can be had from said manufactory, on being ordered; and attention given to forward on any orders that may be left for that purpose—— Apply at No. 9, South Water-street, as above.
july 8 d1f

Received by the ship Adriana, captain Carlton, from London,
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
HAIR SEATINGS,

Suitable for chair and sopha covers, consisting of striped and plain, and of the following widths, *viz* 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 26, 28, 30 and 32 inches.

FOR SALE BY
GEORGE PENNOCK,
july 8 eotf

FOR SALE
By SIMON WALKER,
Pine, near Fifth-street,

WOOLWICH proof Cannon—9 pounders, 61-2 feet long, 20 cwt. each, and 7 feet long, 25 cwt. each, with carriages, &c. completed ditto—6 pounders, 5 1-2 feet long, 15 cwt. each, and 6 feet long, 18 cwt. each, with carriages, &c. complete;
Carronades on sliding carriages, 12, 18 & 24 pounders, weighing 6 1-2, 8 and 13 cwt. each;
Boarding Pikes and Cutlasses;
English Cannon Powder;
Copper Sheathing Nails, Spikes and Bolts;
6, 9, 12, 18 and 24lb. round Shot;
6, 9, 18 and 24lb. double-headed do.
9, 18 and 24lb. Cannister Shot.

Also—a quantity of best English, Porter, Claret and Port Wine Bottles,
Taunton Ale in casks of 7 dozen each.
march 8. 2aw tf

St. Croix Sugar,
OF THE FIRST QUALITY,

WILL be landed To-Morrow, at South-street wharf, from on board of the brig James arrived at the Fort,

FOR SALE BY
PRAGERS & Co.
june 18 §

UNSEATED LANDS.

THE owners of Unseated lands in FAYETTE COUNTY (Penn.) are hereby notified, that unless the taxes due on said lands for the years 1796, 1797 and 1798, are paid into the hands of General Ephraim Douglass, County Treasurer, on or before Thursday the 19th day of September next, they will be advertised for sale as the law directs

Caleb Mounts,
James Allen. } County Commis'rs
John Fulton,
Union Town, June 5, '99. (14) d3m

MAIL COACHEES

Between PHILADELPHIA and BALTIMORE,

LEAVE Philadelphia every day, (Sunday excepted) at 8 o'clock, A M. arrive at Baltimore the next day, by 11 o'clock, A. M.

Returning.

Leave Baltimore every day, (Sunday excepted) at 4 o'clock, A. M. and arrive at Philadelphia the next day, by 9 o'clock, A. M.

Between NEW-YORK and PHILADELPHIA.

Leave Philadelphia every day (Sunday excepted) at 12 o'clock at noon, arrive at New-York the next morning, by 8 o'clock.

Returning.

Leave New-York every day (Sunday excepted) at one o'clock, P. M. and arrive at Philadelphia the next morning, by 7 o'clock.

Seats in the Mail Coaches to be taken in New-York,

At Butman's Office, No. 5, Cortland-street.

In Philadelphia.

At Francis' Hotel, No. 13, south Fourth-street, and at the Franklin Inn, No. 59, north Second street.

In Baltimore.

At Evans' Tavern.

Fare for Passengers, 8 Dollars from Philadelphia to New-York, and 8 Dollars from Philadelphia to Baltimore.

All baggage over 14lb. weight, is carried at 5 cents per pound.

The Proprietors are not responsible for Baggage. LEVI PEASE,
Agent for the Public Line, from Philadelphia to Baltimore.

WARD, BROADHURST, JONES & Co.
Proprietors of the Mail Line, from Philadelphia to New-York.
General Post-Office, May 1. §

OFFICE

No. 14 Chesnut street, or No. 25 Arch street,
FOR PUBLIC AND PRIVATE

Commission Business,
Transacted Extensively.

MONEY ADVANCED,

On good Paper, on Mortgages and Merchandize.

Also, Purchases and Sales of LANDS made,
By *JAMES NEWPORT.*
july 5 2aw tf

TO BE SOLD BY
JESSE & ROBERT WAIN.

Old Port Wine, in Pipes, Hhds. and quarter casks,
Also Landing at their Wharf
From on board the ship Edward from Lisbon.
Lisbon Wine, in pipes and qr. casks.
june 25 §

AT a special meeting of the Board of property in Lancaster, June 24, 1799.

Present,

Daniel Brodhead, Sec. Gen. } *of the Land office.*
John Hall, Secretary,
Francis Johnston, Reg. Gen.

The petition of Thomas Stewardson on behalf of himself and the other trustees for the estate of Samuel Caldwell, surviving partner of James Meese, bearing date Philadelphia, 5th Month 17th 1799, stated as follows, viz. That a certain John Collins had in consequence of fraudulent deeds poll, obtained patents for two certain tracts of land, one situate in the county of Northumberland, surveyed to Samuel Caldwell in pursuance of a warrant dated in 1774; and the other situate now in Luzerne county, surveyed to said Caldwell by a warrant also dated in 1774—and requested that patents might be granted, for the said tracts, to William Crammond, Edward Tilghman, John Ashley, and Thomas Stewardson, trustees of the estate of Samuel Caldwell, surviving partner of James Meese, as the said two tracts were part of the estate of Meese and Caldwell.

Whereupon the Board having considered the same, ordered that at least sixty days notice be given in one of the Philadelphia newspapers, and in the Lancaster Journal to the said Collins or his assigns, to appear before the Board on the first Monday in October next, to shew cause if any he or they have, why patents should not issue for the said two tracts to the said trustees agreeably to the prayer of the said petition.

A true copy
For JOHN HALL, Esq.
Sec'ry of Land Office.
N. LUFBOROUGH.
july 8. d3m

FOR SALE,

A variety of Lots, many of them very advantageously situated north of the city of Philadelphia, in different parts of the Land known as the Estate of the late William Martin, Esq—many of the lots afford valuable sites for Country seats, not excelled by any within the same distance of the City, other lots are well adapted for Garden Grounds, Pasture &c. a third description is well calculated for buildings fronting upon Frankford road, Second, Third, and Fourth streets continued to the German Town Road and also on Cross Roads designed to be laid out from Fourth Street to Turners Lane, to which the property extends—For further particulars, application to be made to NICHOLAS HOLYDAY.
on the Premises westward of Fourth Street.
8 july dtf.

THE partnership of Joshua B. Bond, and John Brooks, trading under the firm of Bond & Brooks, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, all persons indebted to them, are requested to make immediate payment to Joshua B. Bond, and those having demands to present their accounts to him for settlement,

Joshua B. Bond.
John Brooks.
april 1 §

ALL PERSONS

HAVING demands against the Estate of Donald Grant Mitchell, esq. late a captain of Artillerists and Engineers, in the service of the United States, deceased, are desired to produce their accounts legally authenticated—and those indebted to the said estate to make payment to

NICHOLAS DIEHL, administrator.
No. 30, Walnut-street.
june 22 eod4w

TO
Journeymen Shoemakers.

TWO HUNDRED will receive immediate employment by applying to
WILLIAM M'LAWS, Sadler,
No. 72, Chesnut-street.
June 12 §

CANAL OFFICE,
June, 28th 1799.

A MEETING of the *Stockholders* of the *Delaware* and *Schuylkill* Canal Navigation will be held on Thursday the *first* of August next, at 6 o'clock in the Evening at the Canal Office.

By order of the President,
GEORGE WURRAL, Sec'y
to Delaware and Schuylkill Canal Company.
june 29 2aw t1Au

Delaware & Schuylkill Canal Office,
Philadelphia, May 9, 1799.

IN pursuance of a resolution of the president and managers of the Delaware and Schuylkill Canal Company, the Stock-holders are hereby notified and required to pay, on each of their respective shares, to the Treasurer of the Company, at the Company's Office in this city,

15 dollars on the 15th June next,
20 dollars on the 15th July next, and
20 dollars on the 15th August next.

WM. GOVETT, Treasurer.
May 13. m&tu4w(dfr. 1 to 15 A)

Dissolution of Partnership in the Island of Antigua.

THE subscriber gives this Public Notice that the Partnership of Shervington and Dixon is this day dissolved. He begs leave to acquaint his Friends that he continues to carry on business in his own name and solicits a continuance of their favors

WILLIAM SHIRVINGTON.
St. John (Antigua,) May 16. (July 5)
d1m.

A beautiful Country Seat, for Sale

SITUATED on the bank of the Delaware joining lands of Matthias Sipler and Mrs John Duffield, 13 miles from Philadelphia and 7 miles from Bristol.

The buildings consist of a new two story Frame House and Kitchen adjoining—3 rooms on a floor, a Piazza the whole front of the House, a Pump of excellent water, also a good garden and orchard—10 acres of land will be sold with the premises, but more can be had if required. There is a gravelly shore at the river, the water stages for Burlington pass every day in the summer season, and the land stages for New-York within half a mile; any person inclining to purchase may know the terms of sale and other particulars by enquiring at No. 12, Dock-street, or No. 161, South Second-street.
june 1.

LAST NOTICE.

To the Creditors of Joseph Thomas,

A GENERAL meeting of the Creditors is intended to be called, for Thursday the first of August next, when *those persons only* as shall then have furnished their accounts will be recognized as such. At that meeting the Assignees hope to have it in their power to lay before them a circumstantial account of his concerns; and to propose some mode of adjustment to the Creditors. Those who neglect to furnish their accounts before that day, will be excluded from the benefit of any arrangements that may be then made.

Samuel W. Fisher,
William Buckley, } Assignees of
John Hall, } Jos. Thomas
july 3 w&s7.11A.

TO BE LET,

A Large Commodious Cellar,

Under Friends Meeting House, in Keys' Alley.
Apply at
LEONARD SNOWDEN'S,
No. 130, North Front street.
7 mo: 6 co4w

THE Creditors of Baly, Hill, & Evans, Insolvent Debtors, in the county of Sussex, are to meet the Assignee at the Court-House in said county, on the 25th of Dec. next. at 10 o'clock A. M in order to make a dividend of said Insolvent's estate, that may come to hand by that day.

CH. CASE, assignee.
june 25

TO BE SOLD,

TWO new frame two Story Houses pleasantly situated near the Jolly Post-Tavern, upper end of the Village of Frankford. There are in each house, besides a kitchen, two rooms on the first floor; three on the second, with roomy garrats, all well finished; there are also to each, a good garden lot, stable and coach house. Part goods will be taken in payment. Any persons wishing to become purchasers are requested to view the premises, and for terms apply to

JOHN McCLELLEN.
Frankford, July 13 eotf

42 Hhds of Richmond

TOBACCO,

of an excellent quality,
FOR SALE BY
Peter Barker & Co.
No 148, High street
6 mo. 18 eotf

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
May 29th, 1799.

THE proprietors of certificates issued for subscriptions to the Loan bearing interest at eight per centum per annum, are notified, that at any time after payment shall have been made of the 5th instalment, which will become due during the first ten days of the month of July ensuing, Certificates of Funded Stock may at their option be obtained at the Treasury or Loan Offices, respectively, for the amount of the four first instalments, or one moiety of the sums expressed in the subscription certificates:—No certificates of Funded Stock will however be issued for less than one hundred dollars.

Such subscription certificates as may be presented at the Treasury or Loan Offices in consequence of the foregoing arrangement, will be indorsed and distinctly marked so as to denote, that a moety of the stock has been issued.

OLIVER WOLCOTT,
Secretary of the Treasury.

The Gazette.

PHILADELPHIA,

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 17.

From the FARMERS' MUSEUM.

"*In the morning, behold it was Leah.*"

THIS, as Macbeth says, inspecting his crimsoned hand in the play, was "a sorry sight" to the luckless Jacob. From the "blear eye" of an unexpected bride, the gazing patriarch could discern reflected no very charming prospect of matrimonial felicity.

Without anticipating too soon the reflections, or fancying the chagrin, of the injured Jacob, it is better to narrate certain of his youthful bargains, describe his apprenticeship, or rather vassalage to Love, and sketch a picture of the sanguine hopes, and abused credulity of a young man.

Jacob, the favourite son of a fond mother, is advised by Rebekah, terrified at the hatred and menances of Esau, to flee from the effects of fraternal resentment, and to lurk for a time in the obscurity of Haran, a remote village, in the east, where he would not only find the safe shelter of solitude, but the still more friendly cover of a relation's love. Haran was a sweet and pastoral country, amindst whose delicious landscapes he could lose, or at least suspend the recollection of domestic misfortunes. Haran was the abode of Laban, an uncle and a friend. If the terrours of a brother's vengeance were not lost amid the glories of nature and the charms of sylvan life, they would be mitigated by the kindness, they might be braved by the strength of a relative and a pastoral chieftain. Jacob, who had most unjustifiably defrauded Esau of his father's benediction, was sufficiently alarmed for his own safety to discern the correctness of this reasoning. He immediately commences his tour, arrives at his asylum, "the land of the people of the east," and suddenly finds himself among a company of shepheards, busied in watering their flocks. This was the very scene for a love adventure, and it immediately occurs. Inquiring of this simple company with the friendly zeal, or, perhaps, the rude curiosity of a Newenglandman, where they belonged, &c. he is answered that they are inhabitants of Haran, that they know Laban, that he is in health, and that "behold Rachel, his daughter, cometh with the sheep." This fair girl next appears; and, after certain civilities and gallantries of Jacob, which mark the honesty, simplicity, and tenderness of undebauched manners and pastoral times, he informs the damsel, with whom he is suddenly enamoured, of their affinity; and the youthful admirer of Rachel is announced to the son of Nahor. Laban hastens to meet his fugitive nephew, and, with apparent frankness and cordiality, brings him to his house. In a month, Jacob becomes wholly domesticated in this family. At length, this avaricious Jew, in a spirit of speculation, not unworthy of the present age, begins to drive an artful bargain with his unsuspecting inmate. After insidiously hinting that the ties of consanguinity ought not to induce him to a gratuitous service, Laban demands his price, and the generous and lovesick swain, replies "your daughter." It must here be noted, that Laban had two daughters, and that there was no small difference in their personal attractions, for "Leah was tender eyed, but Rachel was beautiful and well favoured." Now, I will not torment myself, and puzzle my readers, with the different and jarring explanation of grave commentators, defining the epithet applied to Leah. From the opposition of the clauses, it is extremely clear that one of the damsels was homely and the other exquisitely beautiful. Jacob chose like a lover, and conducted like a very fond one. He prefers Rachel, and stipulates for a septennial servitude as the price of her father's consent, and her affection. Laban replies in ablunt and Squire Western style, that is was better that Jacob should have her than any body else; and the contract is made. Notwithstanding the extreme length of this period of amorous probation, to the captivated youth it seemed, in the charming language of the original, but a few days, for the love he had to her. A modern lover would have been tired in seven days, but every vicissitude of seven years found Jocob's heart the same. Of this prolix courtship the last day, a day of jubilee to Love, at length is numbered. Jacob claims his wife. Laban ostentatiously invites his neighbours, and the wedding banquet and bridal couch are spread. The knavery of Jacob's unworthy uncle now appears. During the gaiety of nuptial carousals, when the head of an ardent bridegroom would, in some degree, dance to the bounding of his heart, and in the obscurity of nocturnal hours, a surreptitious consort is treacherously conveyed to his apartment. The dawn reveals the cheat to insulted fondness; for, in the morning—— behold it was Leah.

"Ye, who listen with credulity to the whispers of Fancy, and pursue with eagerness the phantoms of hope," learn to be on your guard against the cheating Laban's of life, and rely not too implicitly on the expectation of clasping the Rachel of your joys. Ye know not what a night, and the cunning craftiness of man, may bring forth. Some unlucky accidents may rush between you and expected bliss. Think not, good easy men, when ye sleep and dream of delight, that the powers of deception are nodding too. No; they are broad awake, and, perhaps, maliciously active. See, they are already busy, detaining your Rachel, and, in the morning, ye must be doomed to disappointment, and perceive nothing but a Leah for your consolation.

Thwarted passion is always like a dart through the liver. But disappointments in love are like a whole quiver. They terribly lacerate the feeling heart. Of all the sufferers in this way, the hapless Jacob I think was the greatest. Violently enamoured with a lovely sheperdess, he has not only to obtain the "slow leave" of a timid virgin, but must toil for the tardy and remote consent of a miserly sire. To this irksome and ignominious exaction Jacob submits. He "fed the sheep, and penned the fold," and bartered severe labour for the smiles of love. He at length rests from the toil of years, and is defrauded of the beauteous premium.

We all know, from the context, how well Jacob behaved under this stinging disappointment. After a concise, but pointed remonstrance to his uncle he calms the tumult of desire, and for the love of his betrothed, promises Laban to set out, like the shepherd swain of Lycidas,

"Tomorrow to fresh fields and pastures new."

This is an excellent moral to be drawn from the story; and, if among my readers any of the more ardent and unsuspicious suffer from a Laban, and love like Jacob, let them copy the resignation of a patient man, and wait seven years longer for gratification, rather than be enraged, or dejected for a month, or even a day.

THE LAY PREACHER.

From the VERGENNES GAZETTE.

COMPARISON

Of Monsieur Jefferson in 1799, with the public writings of Mr. Jefferson in 1781, accompanied with salutary notes.

ON PUBLIC EXPENCES.

"I SHOULD estimate the whole *taxable* [1] property of this state [Virginia] at *an hundred millions* of dollars.[2.] One per cent. on this, compared with any thing we ever yet paid, would be deemed a heavy tax. Yet I think those, who manage well and use reasonable economy, could pay one and an half per cent. and maintain their household comfortably in the mean time, without aliening any part of their principal and that the people would submit to this willingly for the purpose of supporting their *present*[3] *contest.* [the American revolutionary war] We may say, then, that we could raise, and ought to raise, from one million to one million and an half of dollars annually. The public revenues of Great Britain, divided in like manner on its inhabitants, would be *sixteen times greater.* [4] Deducting even the double of the expences of government, as before estimated, from the million and an half of dollars, which we before supposed might be annually paid without distress, we may conclude that this state can contribute one million of dollars annually towards supporting the federal army, paying the federal debt, building a federal navy, or opening roads, clearing rivers, forming safe ports and other useful works."[5]

[Vide notes on Virginia, pages 183 & 185.]

SALUTARY NOTES.

[1] In our government, but a *small* part of our property is subject to taxation. In 1782, the Virginian articles of taxation were limited to slaves, cattle, pleasure carriages and taverns. This must have included a small part of the real property of that state in 1782. Had *lands*, &c. been included, it must have amounted to about two millions. Since that period, taxable property must have amounted to about four millions, as it may be reasonably supposed to double in seventeen years. Virginia, then, according to Mr. Jefferson's mode of *moderate* calculation, can and *ought* to pay four millions of dollars *annually.* The present federal tax on the whole United States, the first, the only direct one ever yet imposed upon the people, amounts only to two millions, double of which only one single state can pay without distress, so allowed by the father himself of Democracy. Even these two millions are not *annually* to be contributed. The tax is designed to accomplish others than pecuniary purposes. Among other designs, it ascertains the wealth of the whole nation. It may answer one democratic purpose, that of ascertaining how large contributions an army of Sansculottes may levy on us, when we shall be divided and overrun by them, like the European Republics. Besides, this very tax was the result of French fraternal [infernal] spoliations.

[2] Calculating the taxable property in Virginia at this time, to consist in articles of slaves, cattle, pleasure carriages, taverns, lands and houses merely, it will amount to 400,000,000 of dollars According to the Congressional mode of apportionment among the several states, they are nearly in value as follows.

The whole taxable property of	
Virginia is nearly - *Dols.*	400,000,000
Newhampshire - - - -	90,317,396
Massachusetts - -	301,476,121
Rhode-Island - - -	45,000,000
Connecticut - - -	150,743,066
Vermont - - -	54.208,100
NewYork - - -	216,962,400
New-Jersey - - -	109,607.300
Pennsylvania - -	274,520,667
Delaware - - -	35,230,113
Maryland - - -	60,897,230
Kentuckey - - -	45,430.003
N. Carolina - -	224,025,123
S. Carolina - - -	130,829,140
Tennesee - - -	24,534,700
Georgia - - -	45,943,330

The whole taxable property of the United States, without including the newest parts of their territory, at a calculation, it is presumed, not *very far* from the truth, amounts to about 2,210 millions of dollars.—A tax of one per cent, upon this sum, though Mr. Jefferson asserted Virginia was able to pay one and a half, in the time of the last war, would raise upwards of *twenty two millions* of dollars. The present national tax does not, therefore amount to *one eleventh part* of our pecuniary ability to pay. This one eleventh part is still further diminished by indirect taxes chiefly, the tribute of the rich and voluptuous. The revenue of our nation, in 1798, amounted to nearly seven and an half millions of dollars. Accurate information would make those blush, who complain of the very moderate wants and demands of the most temperate, most cheap government on earth.

[3] Mr. Jefferson enforced the idea that it was a great *duty* in Vaginia to raise *annually* one million and a half of dollars, to support the late contest, the revolutionary war. This was patriotism, which all Americans would applaud. To gain our independence of a foreign Kingdom, was a glorious struggle, which heaven, with the sword of Washington, crowned with success. But it is no less glorious to *maintain* that independence. But when our independence is insulted, its very existence threatened, the small pittance of two millions, which one of our States *alone*, can pay, in one single year, is regretted to *defend* that independence. When the English were the aggressors, too great a price could not be paid to preserve a Liberty which was worth its name; as soon as the French tyrants become the foes of our peace, a new language is heard, which ought not to proceed from the lips of any one, who has not lost the love of his native soil.

[4.] In no country, probably, are taxes so *small* as in the United States. The French Republic with all her robberies, and spoliations and extentensive, enormous contributions cannot yet render the burden equally light upon *her* citizens. This nation comprehends nearly *six millions* of inhabitants. Were the tax of two millions to be laid on each one equally, it would amount to about thirty three cents. But even this is so apportioned among the most wealthy classes of the citizens, as to leave the poorest totally exempted — This sum can, not only, be paid with the greatest ease, but also, two millions more could be raised to crush rebellion, and send out of the country 100 000 dangerous united Irishmen, Frenchmen, and Illuminati, who have broken their halters, or escaped a voyage to Botany Bay, or to "*the seat of Democracy*"

[5] In 1781, something was said respecting supporting a federal army and a federal navy, in a crisis of danger. In 1799, from the same man and his party, nothing is heard, on *those subjects*, but the murmur of opposition. It is to be regretted that the Monsieur Jefferson of 1799 is not the identical person of Mr. Jefferson of 1781. The author of the "*Notes on Virginia*" was a rare genius, tasteful correct, instructive, amusing. In amission to Paris, the land of modern *Illuminatism*, that intelligent spirit may have met with one of Dr. Priestly's "*elastic undulations*," and is lost in the immensity of materialism, and would "*spare God the trouble of a world.*"

ELECTION.

ALL those of the inhabitants of the County of Bucks, by law, qualified to vote for Members of Assembly, and who are desirous that JAMES ROSS, Esq. of Pittsburgh, should succeed the present supreme Magistrate, as Governor for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, are requested to meet at the house of Charles Stuart, in Doylstown, on Saturday the 17th of August next, for the purpose of consulting what further measures may be necessary for promoting the election of Mr. Rost.

HENRY WYNKOOP,
Chairman of the Bucks County Corresponding Committee.

July 8, 1799.

Unseated Lands in Luzerne County.

THE owners of unseated lands in Luzerne county (Penn.) are hereby notified, that unless the taxes due on said lands for the year 1796, are paid into the hands of General Lord Butler, County Treasurer, on or before the 20th day of August next, they will be advertised for sale as the law directs.

John Phillips,
John Jenkins } County Commis'rs
Thomas Wright

Commissioners' Office,
Wilkesbarre, July 1, '99 } (16) dtaoA

STOP THE RUNAWAY.

RUNAWAY from the subscriber the 21st inst. a negro man, about 5 feet 8 inches high, very well made, and active, answers to the name of Cæsar (but his indented name is JACOB POWELL.) has a particular scar or cut on his forehead, and is about 20 years of age—Had on when he went away a grey-mixture coat and blue pantaloons and black hat; is subject to drink, and when drunk is foolishly mad. Whoever secures the said servant, so that he may be had again, shall be generously rewarded, and reasonable charges paid by Capt. FRANCIS POWELL,
no. 31, north Fifth street

N. B. Any person or persons harbouring the said servant shall be prosecuted to the utmost rigor of the law.

july 16 3t

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of Jedidiah Snowden deceased, are requested to make payment to either of the subscribers, and those having any demands on the same to produce their accounts for settlement.

ANN SNOWDEN, Administratrix.
ROBERT SMITH, } Executors.
ISAAC SNOWDEN, }

july 8 tawtf.

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of the Rev *Gilbert T. Snowden* deceased late of Cranberry in the State of New Jersey, are requested to make payment to the subscriber, and those having any demands on the same to produce their accounts for settlement.

ISAAC SNOWDEN, Administrator.

july 8

WHEREAS,

AN attachment was lately issued out of the inferior court of common pleas of the county of Essex, in the state of New Jersey, directed to the sheriff of the said county, against the rights, credits, monies and effects, goods and chattles, lands and tenements of *John Cleves Symmes* at the suit of *William Wells*, in a plea of trespass on the case to his damage three thousand dollars;—

And whereas, the said sheriff did, at the term of June last past, return to the said court that he had attached the defendant by a certain bond given by Matthias Denman and Samuel Meeker to the said defendant, to the amount of near two thousand dollars, and also by sixty land warrants;—

Now therefore, unless the said John Cleves Symmes shall appear, give special bail, and receive a declaration at the suit of the plaintiff, judgment will be entered against him, and his property herein attached, will be sold agreeably to the statute in such case made and provided.

Aaron Ogden, *Clerk, &c.*

Elizabeth-town, July 8, 1799 (11) 1aw12m

IS OFFERED FOR SALE,
(if speedily applied for)

A VALUABLE parcel of Land in Ann Arundel county, not far from the city of Annapolis and about 30 miles from the city of Washington. On one of these tracts is a most elegant two story brick Dwelling House, 4 rooms on a floor, beautifully situated in an excellent and healthy neighborhood—This body of Land will be sold in lots or in a large body. There are several tenements on said Tract which rent for somethiug considerable per ann. A further description is deemed unnecessary. Apply to the printer.

june 1. 1aw6w.

ON WEDNESDAY EVENING,
at 8 o'clock,
Will be Sold by Auction,
At the Merchant's Coffee house,
For account of the underwriters,
The Schooner

Frederickſburg Packet,

Laying at Hamilton's wharf,
About five hundred barrels burthen, live oak and cedar frame.

SHANNON & POALK, Auct'rs

july 15 dtwed

Just Received, and for Sale by
PAUL BECK, Jr.
NO. 11, SOUTH WATER STREET,
Patent Sheathing Copper,
From 16 oz. to 24 oz per foot,

		inches.	*inches.*		
Copper in sheets	48 by	24	from 6 to 30	lb. pr sheet	
do.	do.	52	26	6 37	lb. do.
do.	do.	60	30	8 60	lb. do.
do.	do.	60	36	70 80	lb. do.
do.	do.	60	39	100 115	lb. do.
do.	do.	72	16	14 15	lb. do.
do.	do.	72	18	15 14	lb. do.
do.	do.	90	20	20 22	lb. do.

Bottom Pipes, of various sizes,
Flat Bottoms, from 10 to 18 inches diameter,
Sheathing Nails (polished) 1 1-8 inch to 2 1-2 inches,
Forged Nails, from 2 1-2 inch to 7 inches,
Spikes from 5 inchs to 7 inches,
Clinch Rings from 1-2 inch to 1 1-8 inch
Copper Bolts from 5-8 inch to 1 1-8 inch,

ALSO,

100 tierces fresh rice,
60 pipes brandy 1st and 4th proof,
Imperial, hyson, hysonskin, souchong and bohea teas,
20 hogsheads allum,
25 do copperas,
Madder in hogsheads, barrels and kegs,
Spanish, French and Carolina indigo,
30 hogsheads molasses,
300 kegs of ginger,
20,000 wt of pepper,
Nutmegs, mace and cloves,
30 tons short B B No. 1 to 9,
50 kegs of powder,
Port wine in pipes,
50 bales of cotton.

july 11. d3w

THE Proprietors of the New Theatre are requested to meet at the City Tavern on Monday the 22d inst. at 7 o'clock in the evening, to elect their agents.

N. B. The election will open at half past 7 and close at 9 o'clock.

CHARLES BIDDLE.
Chairman.

july 12. 3t22d

Notice is Hereby Given,

THAT the Officers and Crew of the Constellation will receive their prize money for the Frigate L'Insurgent, by calling on CHARLES BIDDLE, No. 243, Market-street, or
HENRY BENBRIDGE.

july 12 d1m

THE Committee of Montgomery County appointed for the purpose of promoting the election of JAMES ROSS, Esq. of Pittsburgh for governor of the state of Pennsylvania, and such other freemen of said county as feel disposed to promote the election of Mr. Ross, are particularly requested to meet at the house lately occupied by John Wentz, in Whitpain Township, on Saturday the 27th instant.

Montgomery county, July 8 (11) d6t

THE PARTNERSHIP

TRADING under the Firms of HARTSHORNE, LARGE & Co. and JESSE & ROBERT WAIN, was dissolved 1 mo. 2st. 1798, and the partnership trading under the firm of HARTSHORNE & LARGE, was dissolved 15th of the 4th month last, all persons indebted to either of the above firms are requested to make immediate payment, and those that have demands to present their accounts.

7 mo. 13th d3m

WANTED,
Four Nurses and a Gate keeper, at the Alms House and House of Employment.

TWO men who have been accustomed to nursing and superintending sick rooms; and two careful women of the same description. Also a steady man as gate keeper, producing satisfactory recommendations, may find employment on application (without delay) to

LUKE W. MORRIS, or } *Com. of the*
CHAS. PLEASANTS, } *managers.*

july 9 d6t

THE SUBSCRIBER

HAVING been appointed administrator to the estate of the rev. JOHN WADE (deceased) late of New Jersey—

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons indebted to the said estate, to make immediate payment to the subscriber, and those who have any demands against the same, to render their accounts without delay, properly attested

Edward Thompson,
no. 131, Market street

july 13 d2m

An excellent Stand for Business
FOR SALE,
And possession immediately given.

THAT valuable stand for business at the head of Chester, Kent county, Maryland consisting of a brick store-house, 20 feet by 60, two stories high, three rooms on a floor, well apportioned for business, two twenty feet rooms for the reception of grain, and a counting room, and three rooms for goods, with an excellent cellar under the whole, compleatly garnered off for salt and pickling pork, with a log corn crib adjoining, 20 feet by 40—This stand is situated in the handsomest and most advantageous part of the town for business and the prospect of returning good crops of wheat in the country around the head of Chester still tend to make it more desirable to those inclining to purchase.

For terms apply to messrs. *Levi Hollingsworth & Son*, Philadelphia, or the subscribers near the premises,
GEORGE V. M'CANN
W. THOMAS.

P S—If the above property is not sold in three months from this date, it will be rented.

July 9 d8w

NOTICE.

THE Creditors of Woodruff and Thomson, late merchants of this place, insolvent debtors, are hereby requested to take notice, That the subscribers will attend on the 1st Monday in January next, in the year 1800, at John Johnson's inn, in this town, for the purpose of making the first dividend of their estate.

JOHN JOHNSON, } Assignees.
EDW. SHARP, }

Newton, Sussex county, }
New-Jersey, June 26, '99. } july 9 d3m

WANTS A PLACE,
As a Seamstress or Child's Maid
IN a small family, who are going to the country, a YOUNG WOMAN, who can be well recommended, and who has learnt the Mantua Maker's business. Enquire in Arch street, at the third house west of Eighth street, on the north side of the way.

july 15 ¶ d3t

TO BE SOLD,

A LOT of Land containing two and an half acres situate in the manor of Moorland, Montgomery county, not far distant from the Newton road, and about 15 miles from Philadelphia, on which is erected a good Stone Dwelling House, Stone Spring House, and Frame Stable. On this place is a large garden, with every kind of vegetables, and a good bearing orchard of the best grafted fruit, such as harvest and winter apples, pears, cherries, mulberries and quinces. The crop in the ground consists of corn, flax, potatoes and clover. The situation is very healthy, and being in the neighborhood of several stores and flour mills, makes it a desireable purchase for any person wishing to secure a summer retreat at a small expence. Possession can be had immediately.

For further particulars apply to
EDWARD BONSALL,
No. 64, Dock street.

N. B. One acre of excellent woodland adjoining the above may also be had.

july 9. dt

ALL PERSONS

INDEBTED to the late *Joseph Henry Jasper*, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and all persons having demands against said estate, are desired to furnish their accounts to the subscriber.

Christian Claudy, Admin'r.

july 15 w.&s. 3w

TAKE NOTICE,

THAT I have applied by petition to the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of the county of Northumberland for the benefit of the insolvent act, and they have appointed the 4th Monday in August to hear me and my creditors at the court in Sunbury, at which time and place they may attend if they think proper.

JACOB BESSER.

July 2, 1799. ¶ 1aw3w

Twenty Dollars Reward.

DESERTED from the barracks at Reading, in the night of the 5th July, 1799, the following soldiers in the 11th regiment in the service of the United States.

Thomas Britton Booth, a private, born in Chester county, 25 years of age, 5 feet 8 inches and 3-4 high, dark complexion, brown eyes and long black hair which he commonly wears tied close to his head, by occupation a farmer; he is a stout, good looking fellow, and considerably marked with the small pox, is much addicted to liquor, and very abusive when intoxicated; he was dressed in full infantry uniform except his hat—It is expected that he will change his dress as he stole a plain round hat and a number of citizens' cloaths.

Also, *James M'Mullen*, born in the county of Antrim, in Ireland, 36 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches and 1-2 high, fair complexion, grey eyes, short brown hair, which is very thin upon the crown of his head, of thin visage and a very pleasant countenance; by occupation a farmer, and was dressed in full infantry uniform.

The above reward and reasonable expences will be paid to any person who shall apprehend and confine in any goal, or deliver to any officer in the service of the United States, the above described deserters, or ten dollars and expences for either of them.

LEWIS HOWARD,
Lieutenant 11th United States Regimen
Reading, july 7 (10)

Just Published,
And to be sold by the Proprietor,
JEREMIAH PAUL,
No. 35, South Fourth Street;
By Isaac Pearson, No. 109, Market-street; Benjamin Davies, No. 68, Market-street: John Ormrod, No. 41, Chesnut-street; William Jones, No. 30 North Fourth-street; and by Joseph Moore, No. 1, White-Horse Alley.—THE

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6th mo 1st, 1799, 2eSat 6w.

WILLIAM COBBETT

HAS JUST PUBLISHED (PRICE 1 DOL. 50 CENTS)

THE
BAVIAD
AND
MÆVIAD.

By WILLIAM GIFFORD, ESQUIRE.

To which is prefixed,

A POETICAL EPISTLE TO THE AUTHOR
By an American Gentleman.

[In introducing this celebrated work to the Gentlemen and Ladies of America, I have endeavored to give it a dress proportioned to its distinguished merit, and to the taste of those for whose amusement and delight it is intended. No expence has been spared in the publication; and I flatter myself that the work does not yield, either in paper or print, to any one ever published in America —— This edition has an advantage over some former ones, as it contains by way of notes, the minor productions of the author; and, it has an advantage over *every* other edition, in the *Poetical Epistle*, which is prefixed to it, and which must be extremely gratifying to every lover of literature in this country, as it is a proof that there are Americans who have the taste to admire, the justice to applaud, and the talents to rival the Geniuses of other nations.

☞ Some Copies have been sent on to *Mr. Sweeneville*, Maiden Lane, *New York*, also to *Mr. Hill, Baltimore*, and to *Mr. Young, Charleston.*

Copies will be sent to *Boston* and other places, as soon as occasions offer.]

may 28 §

Freight for Hamburgh,
consisting of
84 Hogsheads Sugar,
150 Bags Coffee,

May be had of the subscriber, if applied for immediately,

GIDEON H. WELLS,

july 13 ¶ 3t

By this Day's Mail.

NEW-YORK, July 16.

By Sunday's arrivals.

On Friday last as the sloop Seaflower, was coming down the Delaware, a Bermudian built sloop, pierced for 14 guns, paſſed with an American enſign hoiſted over the French national colours. We ſuppoſe her to be the ſame veſſel which has lately been carried into St. Kitts by the U. S. ſloop of war Ganges.

Mr. Watt, who came paſſenger in the Seaflower informs us, that about 10 days ago as he was on his paſſage in a ſmall veſſel from Virginia to Philadelphia, off Cape Henry, he ſaw a large brig with all ſail crowded, in chace of another brig bound in, the chaſing veſſel firing repeatedly her bow guns at the chace, and ſhe returned an anſwer with her ſtern chaſers; but, finding ſhe could not come up with her, gave over chace and ſtood to the S. E.

Capt. Yates, arrived yeſterday from St. Croix, informs us that early in the month of June, an action was fought between St. Thomas and St. Croix, by a Daniſh government ſchooner of 12 guns, and an Engliſh lugger of 18, in which the Dane, after having 9 men killed and wounded, and all his ammunition expended, ſent word on board to the captain of the lugger, that as he was thus ſituated, he and his crew would fight them with ſwords and pikes, but would never ſtrike his king's colours. The Engliſh captain would not agree to fight in that way but went on board the Dane, with his lieu & ſome men to ſtrike his colors and take poſſeſſion of the ſchr. when a ſcuffle enſued, in which the Lieu. had his noſe and part of his face cut off, and the capt. of the lugger was thrown overboard;—the people then jumped into the boat, took in their capt. and lieut. went on board, and bore away. (N. B. The capt. of the Daniſh ſchr. is named Linnenſhaw; we could not learn the name of the lugger, or her captain's name.) The lugger had 6 men killed and wounded.

On Sunday afternoon, as a ſmall ſail boat, with ſeveral people on board, was ſailing in the Eaſt River, ſhe upſet and filled; ſeveral boats put off immediately to their aſſiſtance.

TROY July 9.

An unhappy affair occurred in Salem, at the celebration of the Fourth of July: Towards the cloſe of the day (ſays our informant) ſome of the citizens were ſo imprudent as to ram in ſtones and ſand into a field-piece, upon a heavy charge of powder; in conſequence of which the cannon burſt in its diſcharge, and two men were killed by the pieces, one of them inſtantly, and the other ſurviving but a few hours. The names of the deceaſed are caled Fiſher and Timothy White.

BOSTON, July 11.

SEVENTEENTH of JULY.

NATIONAL ACT,

To declare the Treaties heretofore concluded with France, no longer obligatory on the United States.

WHEREAS the Treaties concluded between the United States and France have been repeatedly violated on the part of the French government; and the juſt claims of the United States for reparation of the injuries ſo committed have been refuſed, and their attempts to negociate an amicable adjuſtment of all complaints between the two nations have been repelled with indignity: and whereas under authority of the French government, there is yet purſued againſt the United States, a ſyſtem of predatory violence, infracting the ſaid treaties, and hoſtile to the rights of a free and independent nation,

BE *it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled*, That the United States are of right freed and exonerated from the ſtipulations of the Treaties, and of the Conſular Convention, heretofore concluded between the United States and France; and that the ſame ſhall not henceforth be regarded as legally obligatory on the government or citizens of the United States.

Judge RUSH, in his charge to the Grand Jury of Penſylvania, in Auguſt laſt, congratulated them on the diſſolution of the political ties with France. "Thank Heaven," ſays he, "the gordian-knot is at laſt cut, and we are ſeparated, I truſt, forever."—"*The Seventeenth of July* draws a line, and tears up the foundation of our national connection. Hail auſpicious day! Henceforth the ridiculous claim of national gratitude will be no longer rung in our ears by ungenerous benefactors. Let the ſeventeenth of July be had in everlaſting remembrance. Upon the anniverſary of that day, let the voice of joy and gratitude be heard through our land. It is a declaration, I truſt, of our Independence on France, and perpetual exemption from the baneful effect of her morals, her religion and her politics. From calamities infinitely more to be dreaded, than thoſe commemorated upon the fourth of July, it is calculated to ſecure us. The one ſhielded us only from political dependence and ſubjection—but the other we flatter ourſelves, will be the means of ſaving us, from religious, moral and political deſtruction."

THE SEVENTEENTH OF JULY,

Which witneſſed our ſeparation from that perfidious nation, whoſe friendſhip is treachery, and "whoſe touch is poiſon," has juſtly been conſidered by the friends of our country, the moſt important day in our political calender.

The Young Men of this town, conſidering their deareſt intereſt, preſent and future, as nearly connected with the auſpicious event of this day, have, by the approbation of their reſpectable ſires, come forward with patriotic ſpirit, and fraternal unanimity, to celebrate its anniverſary on the 17th of July inſt.

In conſequence of notice given in the public papers, a large and reſpectable meeting was held at the Ark Tavern, on the evening of Tueſday laſt. After taking into conſideration the object in view, the following gentlemen, viz. Meſſrs. J. H. Girley, Samuel Hunt, Henry Sargent, Andrew Belknap, Charles Davis, Thomas O. Selfridge, Thomas Paine, Samuel Bridge, James Cutler, William Oliver, Francis J. Oliver, and Francis Welſh, were choſen as a committee of arrangements for the day, and the meeting adjourned to laſt evening.

The ſubſtance of the report of the committee, laſt evening, was as follows, and was unanimouſly agreed to. That a public addreſs ſhould be delivered by ſome gentleman, applicable to the occaſion and commemorative of the day.

That the public exerciſe ſhould be opened with ſolemn prayer and thanksgiving to the Author of All Good, for his diſtinguiſhed favor in having ſeparated us from the declared enemies of his religion, the deſtroyers of moral obligation, ſocial order, and the ties of humanity.

That the young men of the town ſhould aſſemble at Faneuil Hall, preciſely at 7 o'clock on the morning of the 17th, there to form a proceſſion to the Old Brick Meeting Houſe, where the addreſs is to be pronounced.

That the day be uſhered in by every decent expreſſion of joy.

In purſuance of the above reſolves, the committee having, by ballot, made a unanimous choice of THOMAS PAINE A.M. for the orator of the day, and the Rev. Mr. KIRKLAND to perform the devotional duties on the occaſion—they declared their ſatisfaction, in complying with the wiſhes of their young friends, and that they would cheerfully uſe their exertions to impreſs thoſe important ſentiments which naturally ariſe from the intereſting event, in as acceptable a manner as the novelty of the occaſion, and the ſhortneſs of the time will admit.

The above arrangements were unanimouſly agreed to, at a full meeting, held by adjournment at the Repreſentatives chamber, in the Old State Houſe, laſt evening, and the following gentlemen were added to the committee, viz.—Meſſrs. *Samuel A. Dorr, Henry Paine, Samuel Moore, John Proctor, jun. Samuel Howard, and James Ellifon.*

TRENTON, July 15.

Communication.

A DECLARATION OF WAR on the part of the United Staees, againſt France, one year ago, would have been warrantable upon every principle of juſtice and ſound policy. Indeed, to every unprejudiced independent mind, it would ſeem unaccountable how it was avoided. It is certainly true, that as it regards France, it was a mere formality; for in point of fact, ſhe was then, and for months before had been, as completey at war with us as ſhe could be; ſo that it would not have at all altered our relations towards he. But it would have very meterially altered our own internal ſituation; for it would at once have brought things to a criſis; it would have compelled our citizens to take ſides, and thus have diſcovered to the government its friends and its enemies. And this country will never be ſecure from the arts and intrigues of that ambitious and perfidious nation, until this laſt act of the government is formally announced. Until this is done, France will not abandon her hopes here; her ſecret agents will be more induſtriouſly employed than ever, and diviſions and inſurrections will be continually excited and fomented by them. But a declaration of war would take us at once out of our preſent uncertain ſituation, and completely cruſh the French party among us. At the ſame time it would not create an enemy, but only put us in a ſituation to act with more energy againſt the enemy that has already attacked us. Every meaſure yet taken by government againſt France, has been oppoſed by men who have afterwards been convinced (thoſe meaning, who were not completely under French influence) that it ought to have been taken before. And this will undoubtedly ſhare the ſame fate as the reſt.

Mount Hope Furnace in BLAST,

TO be Let for the preſent year, together with all the ſtock on hand, which is ſufficient for a ſix month's blaſt, all the tools, pattons, flaſks, teams, carts, waggons, &c. &c. neceſſary for carrying on the ſame. The aforeſaid furnace was firſt in blaſt the 3d ult. and is calculated to blow ſeven months at leaſt

Alſo, to be rented, for the ſame time, a FORGE with four fires, and a Slitting and Rolling Mill, at Booneton, together with the ſtock on hand, conſiſting of coal, wood, waggons, carts, horſes, oxen, tools, &c. &c. neceſſary for carrying on the ſame.

Any perſon inclining to rent the ſame, may know the terms by applying ſhortly to David Ford, Eſq. at Morriſtown, Richard B Faeſch, at Booneton, or John Jacob Faeſch, at Mount Hope.

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Just arrived from St. Petersburg,

Ruſſia Sheetings
Ravens Duck
Cordage
Iron Hoops
Bar Iron and Nail Rods.

For ſale by
JAMES YARD.

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The Gazette.

PHILADELPHIA,

WEDNESDAY EVENING, *JULY* 17.

For the GAZETTE of the UNITED STATES.

MR. FENNO,

I OBSERVED in the Aurora an account of a political meeting held at the houſe of John Caſpar Kurtz in Hamilton Townſhip, Northampton county, for the purpoſe of fixing on a proper perſon to be run at the enſuing election for governor. As the matter is there ſomewhat miſrepreſented, by the leave of the writer, I will attempt to give a more accurate account of it. An advertiſement had for ſome time prior to the meeting been poſted on the door of the tavern where it was to be held, inviting the republicans of Hamilton and Lower Smithfield Townſhips to meet there on Saturday the 22d day of June for the purpoſe aforeſaid. In purſuance of this invitation a number of gentlemen met at the time and place appointed. In the afternoon we proceeded to chooſe a chairman. Doctor Francis J. Smith and Captain John Huſton were nominated—The votes of the meeting were regularly taken, and Capt. John Huſton appointed to the chair by a reſpectable majority. This diſcovered the weakneſs of a certain party. They clearly perceived that they would be unable to carry their points, and withdrew from the meeting. The majority went on to form reſolutions, &c. without them, which they could have done with equal eaſe had they ſtayed.

This, Mr. Fenno, is a brief, but impartial ſtatement of every thing material that took place on that occaſion without addition or dimunition.

The writer in the Aurora alledges that he is authoriſed to ſay the townſhip of Hamilton will be deciſive, a very few perſons *excepted*, for judge M'Kean. This I ſhall not contradict; for I believe as firmly as he can that the townſhip of Hamilton will be *deciſive*, and there will be very few perſons *excepted* for judge M'Kean. But who authoriſed him to ſay ſo? No doubt the minority of the Hamilton meeting.

He pretends to a graat deal of preciſion and circumſtantiality, while he enumerates by name ſeveral people as his opponents, who were not preſent, and omits numbers that were. He ſays the meeting being propoſed for the friends of the Honorable Judge, &c. and the preamble to thoſe very reſolutions, which he has himſelf inſerted in the papers as the reſult of the meeting, declares that it was held for the purpoſe of fixing on a *ſuitable character* as a candidate for governor. If then the invitation was to *republicans*, and the meeting was held for the purpoſe of fixing on a *ſuitable character* as a candidate for governor, certainly I and every other republican had a right, according to the ſtricteſt propriety, to nominate Mr. Roſs or any other character that we ſuppoſed ſuitable.

Further, "*from* our ſide," ſays he "the number was double." If he meant, as he has expreſſed it, that the majority of two to one was *from* their ſide, it is certainly true; but if he intended to ſay that the number of thoſe in favor of Mr. M'Kean was double that of thoſe in favor of Mr. Roſs, it is falſe. That gentleman (pardon the expreſſion ſir) cannot name as many of the inhabitants of Hamilton and Lower Smithfield Townſhips who were preſent at that meeting, who were in favor of Thomas M'Kean, as there are in his very partial enumeration of thoſe whom he is pleaſed to ſtyle the ariſtocrats. As to myſelf, the ſcandalous aſperſions, he has ſo liberally beſtowed upon my character, I might have regarded had they come to the public through any other channel than that of the Aurora; but as it is, they are ſcarcely worthy of animadverſion. If they were true, and the author had not been a daſtardly ſcoundrel he would not have heſitated at publiſhing his name. As they are falſe, and the author of them a contemptible creature, unworthy of my notice, a word from me on the ſubject is totally unneceſſary. However, I *muſt* condeſcend to tell the cowardly blackguard that I know him and that nothing but *his* extreme *inſignificance* prevents my giving him good reaſon to know and remember *me*.

JOHN STROUD.

Lower Smithfield, July 13, '99.

DR. FRANCIS JOS. SMITH,

The French Doctor in Northampton county, who, with the aſſiſtance of FRIES, conducts the electioneering intereſts of the Chief Juſtice in that quarter, made a ſpeech at the Hamilton townſhip meeting, which the Aurora informs us was too long for inſertion. From my knowledge of *Smith*, I am ſure he could not ſpeak five minutes on any ſubject, unleſs he was drunk, and then three fourths of his harrangue would conſiſt of oaths and imprecations. But I can inform the public of the ſubſtance of this ſpeech that was too long for inſertion in the Aurora—"By *Yhost*," (a favorite oath) ſaid the Doctor, "Judge McKean is a fine man; he was a fine man all the war by *Yhost*; that's what he was; by *Yhost*, he was the man that

HUNG THE QUAWKERS;

What did Roſs do? Nothing, *by Yhost*; he never *hung any Quawkers*; there now, *by Yhost*."

This ſpecimen of Democratic eloquence may be depended upon; if doubted, it can be authenticated—But Smith is too proud of it to deny it.

No. VI.

To the Managers of the Alms Houſe and Houſe of Employ.

GENTLEMEN,

IN No. 5 I have ſhewed that for three years paſt you have paid no more than one hundred and fifteen cents per week for your patients in the Pennſylvania Hoſpital, and not three dollars as W. and Charitas endeavor to make appear. But their ſtatement is altogether a deception and ought to be expoſed; for they do not take into calculation any of thoſe patients who have been admitted formerly at a very low rate, whoſe board has never been raiſed, nor thoſe received on charity without any charge but for cloathing* and funeral expences. If it be neceſſary further to elucidate and confirm my ſtatement reſpecting the actual coſt of your paupers in the hoſpital, I refer to the accounts rendered to your board at a late meeting for the laſt year's expences; by which you will obſerve the average coſt is at this very time, no more than 118 cents each.

With as much confidence, and the ſame view of blinding the eyes of the public, and if poſſible leading me off from my intended expoſure of the real ſtate of things, W and Charitas contend in your favor, that paupers in the Alms Houſe coſt no more than a dollar a week, when if the truth was known, I have reaſon to believe they coſt two at leaſt. To give a correct account is however impoſſible without knowing the exact amount of your debts which are not yet paid. Theſe I have good reaſon to believe were forty thouſand dollars when your laſt annual account was ſtated; and the whole was contracted within the laſt two year, for by your account in 1797 it appears you did not owe two thouſand pounds; and I am well informed you had ſeveral thouſand pounds more of taxes in arrears, to collect, than was ſufficient to pay it. I will therefore take twenty thouſand dollars for granted, to be the expences of the laſt year, not yet paid, or included in your annual account, and proceed.

	Dls. Cts.
By your annual ſtatement No. 2. the actual ſum expended for the ſupport of paupers is £12,284 11 7, or	32,758 88
Add, debts contracted, but not paid, from 1798, to 1799,	20,000
Repairs for one year I will ſay on an average, are - - - -	266 67
Three Swine per diem I ſuppoſe you received in the year, except on Sabbath days, for which I expect you paid one dollar and ſixty ſeven cents each, and charged it, being half the value due to the perſon who brings them to the Alms-Houſe, ſay 313 at 25s, which ought to be to your debit, but we do not find it,	1,042 0
Butter, veal, ſauſages, fiſh and pork, forfeited, which you publiſh no account of, but is carried to your houſe by the Clerk of the Market.	100 40
Total expence of the year, for 605 perſons, is - - - - -	54.167 95

Or 172 cents a week for each perſon,—which is 57 cents more than the hoſpital have charged, and makes an aggregate ſaving of one thouſand four hundred and twenty two dollars and ſeventy two cents per annum for the laſt three years.

In proof of which I exhibit the following ſtatement, *viz.*

48 in the Alms Houſe 52 weeks at 172 cents, is - - - - -	4,293 12
48 in the Hoſpital 52 weeks at 115 cents, is - - - - -	2,870 40
Difference ſaved to the Guardians to the poor is per annum -	1,422 72

Having now proved that the price is leſs in the Hoſpital than in the Alms-Houſe, if it is aſked in which inſtitution the moſt care is taken of the patients, I would recommend my fellow citizens to viſit both houſes and they will be able to judge.

* Charitas ſays, I well knew a conſiderable part of the cloathing for near 2000 perſons was made in the courſe of the laſt year in the houſe of employ;—but I will prove the contrary—ſee your manufactory accounts, viz. No. 3, manufactured goods, conſumed in the houſe £338 0 3—that among 2000 people is about 3/4 each, whish inſtead of being enough to cloath them, would ſcarcely pay for ſoaling and mending their ſhoes.

MR. FENNO,

I DID not intend again to have troubled you with remarks on the ſubject of *an unjuſt, illiberal and illnatured* attack addreſſed to the Managers of the Alms Houſe, but am compelled thereto by the accuſation of falſhood in reciting part of the firſt number of thoſe "elegant eſſays."—It is true I had them not before me when the remarks alluded to were made, but truſted to the impreſſions which they had forcibly made on my mind, and I now appeal to your readers, whether the following words are not tantamount to what I have aſſerted—

"If however you can ſatisfy your fellow citizens on this ſubject, it will be proper to do it, for many of them begin to grow uneaſy about the poor-tax, and conſider it as an almoſt inſupportable burthen; they felt it ſo laſt year, and are likely to feel it ſo this year."

What motives could induce any man to make a public declaration of this kind but to *ſound an alarm* and to encreaſe the *diſlike*, if any exiſted, to the *poor-tax*; and in fact, to depreciate the merits of *that Inſtitution*. I do not ſay theſe were his motives, but he may reſt aſſured that, unleſs he gives ſome more ſubſtantial reaſons for the illiberal remarks he has ſuffered himſelf to make, his fellow citizens will have juſt cauſe to declare his motives proceed from motives he would bluſh to confeſs. In the firſt place, how can theſe obſervations apply to the Managers of the Alms Houſe, when it is well known that a conſiderable part of the poor tax is to provide for the poor "within the city and Liberties"—the *proviſions* whereof, are made by the out door Overſeers and Board of Guardians of the poor only. It is clearly and fairly proved that the ſupport of the Alms Houſe is at leaſt as moderate as any other ſimilar inſtitution in the United States—that it coſts the public no more than one dollar per week for the maintainance of their poor, and it cannot with truth be denied by any man that every pauper admitted into the Pennſylvania Hoſpital, from the Alms Houſe, ſince the year '96 or '97 has coſt at the rate of 3 dollars per week, excluſive of cloathing and bedding, uſed and *deſtroyed*, making in the whole nearly 4 dollars per week, which ſum I ſay is "enormous," and being a conſiderable part of the poor tax, properly comes under the attention of the public in the preſent newſpaper controverſy—I have ſaid the expence attending the Pennſylvania Hoſpital have encreaſed ſince the year '82 as "one to four," which will be found perfectly correct, as they charged 77 cents at that time, for Board of Patients from the Alms Houſe, and one dollar per week for ſeveral years after, which increaſe is certainly enormous and greatly beyond the proportionate encreaſed expences of the Alms Houſe ſince that period.

I have only to add (and ſhall then tranſfer every other obſervation on this ſubject to a more able pen) that as many ungenerous and unjuſt inſinuations and remarks have been publiſhed againſt the managers of the Alms Houſe, a particular ſtatement and developement of the buſineſs muſt neceſſarily be laid before the eyes of the Public; and as the papers and documents have taken ſome time to be procurred, I am aſſured that a gentleman whoſe numbers will appear in a few days, means to come forward in defence of the Managers, and I do hope the public will pay particular attention to the further inveſtigation of this ſubject.

CHARITAS.

Gazette Marine Liſt.

Port of Philadelphia,

The brig Maria, capt. Simkins, of and for this port, from Havanna, is caſt away in a gale of wind on of the Florida Keys, veſſel loſt—crew and a ſmall part of the cargo ſaved. The Maria left Havanna the 29th May laſt.

Ship Columbia, Lelar, of and for this port ſailed from Batavia 6 days before the above.

Brig Maria, Woodward, from hence, has arrived at La Guira in 20 days.

Ship Four Friends, Hathaway, has arrived at Belfaſt.

Boſton, July 11.

Arrived brig Zephyr, Freeman, Belfaſt 58 days. Left there, ſhip Four Friends, Hathway, of Philadelphia; and ſhip Warren, Delano, of New Bedford; and Bellona, Delano, do.

Same day. Arrived ſhip Polly, Hancock, Limington, 56 days. In lat. 44. 26 long. 48, 38, ſpoke ſhip Liberty of N. York, 15 days from Baltimore for Hamburg.

At Hamburg, April 27. Friendſhip, Williams, Salem; Nancy, Boſton, Hope, Hooper, Boſton; Lilly Blake, Boſton; Hannah and Eliza, Emery, do; Mary. Swain, Beverly; Sally, Elkins, Boſton; Hopewell, Darling; Salem.

A French privateer brig, of 18 guns, chaſed a veſſel, lately, in lat. 23, long. 61.

The ſhip ——, capt. Bruce, of N. York, was taken June 12, by a French privateer of 12 guns, after an action of 2 hours. Capt. B. had 9 men killed. The privateer a greater number. She was carried into St. Martins.

The Huſſar, French privateer, of 20 guns, cruizes about Surinam. She lately carried in a Portland ſchr, bound thither; but the Governor liberated her, and the captain ſold his cargo—An Engliſh privateer brig of 18 guns, was alſo off Surinam.

An engagement had occurred off there between an Engliſh and French privateer. Reſult not known.

Baltimore, July 15.

Arrived yesterday.

Schooner Virginia, Captain Eveleth, 14 days from St. Thomas's—Left there ſchooners Buckſkin, captain Nelmis; Cabot, captain Compton; and Federal George, captain Millett, all of Baltimore. The latter was ſpoke by a 22 gun French ſhip, who aſked his longitude and permitted him to paſs.

Ship Herbe, capt. Heyward, 161 days from Batavia.—Left there ſhip Margaret, Coward, of Baltimore, to ſail in 6 days.

About four weeks ſince, captain H. ſpoke the United States ſhip Portſmouth, captain M'Neil, bound off Surinam, on a cruize—all well.

☞ The Members of the Society of the Sons of ST. GEORGE, eſtabliſhed at Philadelphia, for the advice and aſſiſtance of Engliſhmen in diſtreſs, are requeſted to attend a Quarterly Meeting of the ſaid Society, at the City Tavern on Tueſday the 23d day of July inſtant, at 7 o'Clock in the evening.

GEORGE DAVIS, Sec'ry.

There are ſeveral new members to be balloted for.

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ARTILLERY.

☞ THE 9th Company of Philadelphia Artillery, are requeſted, to meet at M. Kitts; ſign of the Indian King, Market-ſtreet, on Thurſday next, the 18th inſt. at 6 o'clock in the evening, on buſineſs of much *Importance*.

July 17, 1799. 2t

FOR SALE,

Glasgow Works & Farm,

Situate in Montgomery county, about one mile and an half from Pottstown.

THE Farm consists of upwards of eight hundred acres of land, about two hundred and fifty of which is woodland; a large proportion excellent watered meadow, besides clover fields, and a good orchard—There are about 125 acres of good wheat and rye now in the ground; 35 acres of indian corn and 15 of oats; from sixty to seventy tons of hay are made annually; the fences have been repaired within the last three years with twelve thousand new chesnut rails, none of which were made on the place.

The Works consist of a forge for the manufacturing of bar iron, well manned; a tilt hammer; a grist mill with two pairs of stones, one pair of them burrs, with rolling screen, &c. a saw mill, and Smith's shop, the whole in good order.. There is a sufficient stock of cord wood now coaling to supply the works for one year, and the Subscriber will engage to furnish within a convenient distance, as much more, to be cut next winter, making together two years stock from this time.

Near the works is the dwelling house large and roomy, and commanding an extensive view; a barn, stables for a number of horses, wash, smoke, ice, and milk houses, of stone; and two gardens inclosed with stone walls, with a sufficient number of houses for the accommodation of workmen, and a large stone coal house. There has also been lately built a two-story stone dwelling house for a tenant who works part of the farm.

The purchaser can be accommodated with waggons, horses, and every other kind of stock, necessary for carrying on the business.

About one fifth of the purchase money will be wanted, and the remainder in yearly instalments.

The terms may be known by applying to Mr. *James Rowland*, no. 23, north Second street, or to the subscriber on the premises.

JOSEPH POTTS, Junr.

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FOR SALE,

At the two mile stone, on the Wessahickon, or Ridge Road,

A Place containing about eighty acres, in parts or the whole together, as may suit the purchaser. There is on the premises a house 47 1-2 feet in front, by 43 1-2 deep, a scullery, milk house, pump, ice house, and farm house, a large barn, 60 feet by 32, with stalls for 25 horses and cows, a carriage house, and a pump of good water in the barn yard, and a second milk house supplied by a spring. The grounds are well manured, and laid out in good stile, with an abundance of ornamental, and fruit trees, the situation healthy and high, commanding a view of the city and Delaware. There is also a small distance from the mansion house a farm house in good repair, with kitchen, stable, &c. and a pump of good water: For terms apply to

SAMUEL MEREDITH.
No. 171, Chesnut Street.

March 12.

Removal.

THOMAS CLAYTON, *Hatter,*

HAS removed to No. 126, south Front street, where he intends carrying on his business as formerly, and has on hand a complete assortment of his own manufactured ladies, gentlemen and childrens'

HATS.

Canada Beaver & Musk-rat Skins,

With a complete assortment of FURS, always for sale—He has received per the late arrivals from London, a complete assortment of

Fashionable English Hats,

Which he now offers for sale at very reduced prices.

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BOARDING.

☞ Three or four gentlemen may be accommodated with Board and Lodging, at Mrs M'Crea's, No. 29, north Eighth street.

may 30 th.sa.mo. tf

Valuable Lands

FOR SALE

AT PUBLIC AUCTION,

ON Tuesday the 23d day of July next, at the Tontine Coffee-House, in the City of New-York, 48.000 acres, of very valuable Land, situate in the county of Tioga, state of New-York, Southerly of the military tract and Northerly of the town of Chemung, being part of the tract, commonly known by the name of Watkins and Flint's great tract; this tract is surveyed, and divided into Townships and quarter Townships, and the premises hereby advertised for sale, consists of the North East and North West quarters of Township No. 1, the South West quarter of Township No. 6, the North East quarter of Township No. 7, South East quarter of Township No. 8, the North West quarter of Township No. 9, and two lots, in Township No. 11, and 12, adjoining the Owego River, or Creek, containing together upwards of 3000 acres. Two of the above mentioned quarter Townships are divided into lots of from 250 to 200 acres; there are a number of settlers on the tract, and several good roads pass through it, and the surrounding country is in a rapid state of improvement—These lands will be sold in quarter Townships, or smaller quantities to accommodate the purchasers, on the following easy terms.—One fourth of the purchase money to be paid on the execution of the Deed, and the Residue in three equal annual payments, with interest to be secured by a mortgage on the premises, or other good security. The title is indisputable, and the maps and field books containing a description of the lands, may be seen, by applying to Colonel Aaron Burr, Henry Rutgers, Alexander Roberson, or Marinul Willet of the city of New York, who will treat with any person, inclining to purchase previous to the above day of Sale.

New-York, May 23. 25 Sts

TO BE LET,

A COMMODIOUS THREE STORY

BRICK HOUSE,

SITUATE in Walnut near Fifth street, is well calculated for a genteel boarding house. Enquire at no. 108, Walnut-street.

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Notice is hereby Given,

THAT application will be made for the issue of certificates for twenty two shares of the Stock of the Bank of the United States, in lieu of the undermentioned certificates for a like number of shares of the stock of the said Institution, in favour of James Eckley Colley, of Liverpool, lost by the capture of the Diana, Richard Kirkbride, master, on a voyage from Philadelphia to Liverpool, Great-Britain, viz.

Two certificates, No. 27,000 and 27001 for five shares each. Three certificates. No. 27002 and 27004, for four shares each.

G. SIMPSON, *Cashier.*

Bank of the United States, May 23, 1799. } taw3m

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

March 11th, 1799.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

Pursuant to the act of Congress passed on the 1st day of June, one thousand, seven hundred and ninety six, entitled "an act regulating the grants of land appropriated for military services, and for the society of United Brethren for propagating the gospel among the Heathen;" and the act supplementary to the said recited act passed on the second day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine——*to wit:*

I.

THAT the tract of Land herein after described, namely, "beginning at the North West corner of the seven ranges of townships, and running thence fifty miles due south, along the western boundary of the said ranges;—thence due West to the Main Branch of the Scioto river; thence up the Main Branch of the said river to the place where the Indian boundary line crosses the same;—thence along the said boundary line to the Tuscaroras branch of the Muskingum river at the crossing place above Fort Lawrence; thence *down* the said river, to the point where a line run due west from the place of beginning, will intersect the said river; thence along the line so run to the place of beginning;" has been divided into townships of five miles square, and fractional parts of townships; and that plats and surveys of the said townships and fractional parts of townships are deposited in the offices of the Register of the Treasury and Surveyor General, for the inspection of all persons concerned.

II.

The holders of such warrants as have been or shall be granted for military services performed during the late war, are required to present the same to the Register of the Treasury, at some time prior to the twelfth day of February in the year, one thousand eight hundred, for the purpose of being registered; No registry will however be made of any less quantity than a quarter township, or four thousand acres.

III.

The priority of location of the warrants which may be presented and registered in manner aforesaid, prior to the 12th day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred, will immediately after the said day, be determined by lot, in the mode drescribed by the act first recited.

IV

The holders of registered warrants, shall on Monday the 17th day of February, in the year 1800, in the order of which the priority of location shall be determined by lot as aforesaid, personally, or by their agents, designate in writing at the office of the Register of the Treasury, the particular quarter townships elected by them respectively, and such of the said holders as shall not designate their locations on the said day, shall be postponed in locating such warrants to all other holders of registered warrants.

V.

The holders of warrants for military services sufficient to cover one or more quarter townships or tracts of four thousand acres each; shall, at any time after Monday the 17th day of February, 1800 and prior to the first day of January, 1802, be allowed to register the said warrants in manner aforesaid, and forthwith to make locations therefor on any tract or tracts of land not before located.

VI.

All warrants or claims for lands on account of military services, which shall not be registered and located before the first day of January, 1802, are by the supplementary act of Congress herein before recited, passed on the second day of March, 1799, declared to be forever barred.

Given under my hand at Philadelphia, the day and year above mentioned.

OLIVER WOLCOTT.
Sec. of the Treasury.

For Sale,

TWO three story Brick Houses, situated on the corner of King and Columbus streets, being equal to any situation in Alexandria, for the wholesale or retail business. The houses are 40 feet by 28, the stories are lofty, and the brick work done in the most elegant manner with stock ronts. One of the houses can be immediately occupied, being completely finished, the other will be finished by the first of October next. The back buildings to the above premises are also of brick, 16 feet square, with a number of other conveniences for the accommodation of a genteel family.

Each of the above houses will be sold subject to a ground rent of 40 dollars, with the priviledge of buying out at twelve and half year's purchase any time within four years from this date. Dry goods and groceries will be taken in part payment.

For terms apply to Mr. John Barnes, No. 16 South Third street, or John Foster or Nicholas Voss in Alexandria.

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Patent Ploughs,

TO be sold for cash by Joseph Salter at Atsion Richard Wells, Cooper's Ferry—Jonathan Harker, Woodbury—and Jesse Evans, Lumberton. Those who have used them give them the preference to any other kind, as they require less team, break the ground better, are kept in order at less expence and are sold at a cheaper rate—the plan is much simplified and consists of but one piece of cast iron, with the handles and beam of wood; they may be fixed with wrought lays and coulters to be put on with screws and taken off at pleasure

Patent rights for vending with instructions for making them may be had by applying to John Newbold, or the subscriber No. 212 North Front-street.

Who has for Sale;

Or to Lease for a term of Years,

A number of valuable tracts of Land, well situated for Mills, Iron Works or Farms, mostly improved, lying chiefly in the county of Huntingdon state of Pennsylvania. Those who may incline to view them will please to apply to John Canan esq. near Huntingdon.

Charles Newbold.

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Notice.

THE subscriber, having been appointed administrator of the estate of Mr. John Lupton, late of this city, merchant, deceased, requests those who are indebted to said estate, to make payment, and those who have demands against the same to exhibit them to him without delay.

W. MEREDITH,
No. 16, South Fourth street.

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The Swift-Sure,

A NEW LINE OF STAGES,

NOW RUNNING BETWEEN

PHILADELPHIA & NEW-YORK,

By the short and pleasant road of

Bustleton, Newtown, Scotch-Plains, Springfield and Newark.

THE excellence of this road, the populousness of the country through which it passes, with sundry other advantages, which render it so far preferable to the Old Road through Bristol, Brunswick, &c. long ago suggested the propriety of its becoming the Grand Thorough Fare from Philadelphia to New York. During the present year, a minute survey of it has been taken and its superiority over the Old Road, both in winter and summer, has been clearly ascertained.—There are good bridges over all the other waters but the Delaware, and here the crossing is performed with great safety and in less than half the time required at the Trenton Ferry. The road is *several miles shorter* than the old road, but this is amongst the least of its advantages, because daily experience proves to us, that dispatch as well as comfort in travelling principally depend on the goodness of the road and the levelness of the country, and, in these respects, the New Road is, beyond all comparison, the best. It presents none of those rocky hills, which render the Old Road so fatiguing between the Delaware and Newark. The soil, too, for the greater part, is such as to produce but little mud in winter, and very little dust in summer, which circumstance, added to the beauty of the country, and a considerable proportion of shade, must always render travelling in the latter season peculiarly agreeable.

The Swift Sure starts from PHILADELPHIA, at 6 o'clock every morning (Sundays excepted) from the *GREEN TREE*, opposite the Lutheran Church, North Fourth street. It goes through Frankford to Bustleton, where it stops to Breakfast; from Bustletown it goes through Newtown to Penny-town to dinner; from Penny-town through Hopewell, Millstone, Bound-brook, Quibbletown and Plainfield to Scotch Plains to lodge. The next morning it stops at Springfield to breakfast, from whence it goes through Newark and arrives at New-York at noon.

From NEW-YORK it starts at 3 o'clock in the afternoon (from Paulus Hook) and arrives at Philadelphia the next evening. For seats at New-York, application may be made to Edward Bardin, Old Coffee house, to A. Marhieu, corner of Nassau and John streets, to B. Many, no. 48, Courtlandt, corner of Greenwich street, and to Michael Little, at his hotel, no. 42, Broad street.

Fare for passengers, *Five Dollars.*
Way passengers 6 *Cents per Mile.*

Each passenger is allowed to take on 14lbs. of baggage carriage free; but all other baggage, taken on by a passenger, will be charged at 4 cents per pound weight.

With respect to packages sent on without passengers, the proprietors presume they have adopted a regulation, which, though unknown to other lines of stages, they think must meet with general approbation, They pledge themselves to make good every package on the following conditions. The person who delivers the package at the office shall see it entered in the stage-book, for which entry he shall pay 6 cents; he will then state the value of the package, and pay (exclusive of the carriage) one per cent. on the value, as insurance, and for which he will receive a receipt. Thus, for instance, if he estimates his package at one dollar, he will pay one cent. and if at one hundred dollars, he will pay one dollar insurance, and in like proportion for packages of any other value.

Very few persons it is presumed, will dislike this regulation; it will however, be optionable with every one to avail himself of this security or not. But the proprietors think it right to state very explicitly, that they will be responsible for the safe delivery of no package, which is not regularly entered, and for which an insurance receipt cannot be produced.

In the distribution of the route, the greatest care has bren taken to fix on such places and taverns as always afford a good accommodation and entertainment for the passengers at the most reasonable rates The stages are well equipped furnished with fleet and steady horses, and committed to the care of intelligent sober and obliging drivers. The proprietors themselves live at the different towns and villages where the stages will stop, so that the conduct of the persons they employ is continually an object of their attention.—They take care also to see that the passengers are well provided for and politely treated at the taverns, and that no sort of chicanery or insolence is practised upon them; in short, they have spared neither pains nor expence to render the SWIFT-SURE the very best line of stages in America.

The line has now run nearly a month, during which time a great number of gentlemen have gone through, both from Philadelphia and New-York. Every passenger has found the road to surpass very far all that has been said of its excellence; and the Proprietors of the Swift Sure are extremely happy to hear the behaviour of their drivers, and the treatment at Taverns, spoken of with the highest satisfaction.

JOHN M'CALLA, Philadelphia
THOS. PAUL, Bustleton
JOSEPH THORNTON,
NICHOLAS WYNKOOP, } *Newtown.*
JACOB KESLER,
JOHN MORRHEAD, Pennytown.
T. KILLMAN, near Millston.
ELIAS COMBES, Bound Brook.
R. SANSBURY, Scotch Plains.
ISAAC RAWLE,
ROBERT PEARSON, } *Springfield.*

June 22. *co tf.*

Thirty Dollars Reward.

STOLEN out of the stable of the subscriber, the 30th of March last a

Dark Chesnut Sorrel Horse.

Said horse has a star and blaze; six years old this spring, fifteen and an half hands high; both hind legs white half way to his knee, branded P B: The same night there were a saddle and bridle stolen out of another stable; supposed by Michael Gubby, as the said Michael Gubby was taken on the third inst. with the said saddle and bridle, and had exchanged the horse for a dark brown mare, about 14 and a half hands high; she has a star, and white spot on the near side of her jaw, above the bit; has the distemper; and in good order; the said Gubby made his escape the same evening. If the owner of the mare has the horse, and will bring him home to the subscriber, he shall have the said mare and fifteen dollars cash, and if he secures the thief in New-Castle Jail, he shall be entitled to fifteen dollars for him—any other person or persons taking up said horse and thief, and bringing the horse to the subscriber, and securing the thief, as aforesaid, shall be entitled to the above reward, and reasonable charges, or fifteen dollars for either of them.

JOSHUA JACKSON.

Wilmington, April 15 (Jy.9) ¶2aw12t

DONATION LANDS.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT Claims for Donation Lands granted by the State of Pennsylvania to the Officers and Soldiers of the Line belonging to the said State in the late war, will be received at the Office of Comptroller General of said State until the 1st September next inclusive, and that the subscribers authorised by law will sit as a Board at the said Office on every Monday from ten o'clock in the forenoon until one in the afternoon, to hear and determine all unsatisfied Claims already filed, as well as those which may be filed on or before the said first day of September next.

JOHN DONNALDSON, Comt'r.
SAMUEL BRYAN, Regt'r.
PETER BAYNTON, Treas'r.

Department of Accounts of Pennsylvania, May 15, '99. } d1w (m.w.sa tf)

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To be Sold or Exchanged,

FOR Property within twelve miles of the City of Philadelphia, and on the Bristol Road; *A beautiful and very highly cultivated*

FARM.

For particulars, see the office of C. Lebarbier du Plessis. No, 25 South Third Street.

June 29.

TO RENT,

The HOUSE lately occupied by the British Commissioners, No. 7, North Eighth Street. THOS. MIFFLIN, junr.

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Valuable Property for Sale,

In Chesnut, near Sixth street, directly opposit CONGRESS HALL,

A LOT of ground, about 21 feet front in Chesnut street and 73 feet in depth, whereon is a good frame house, now in the tenure of Samuel Benge, subject to a ground rent of 20s. per annum.

The advantageous situation of this property requires no comments, for it must be known, there are few in this city to equal it. an unexceptionable title will be made to the purchaser. Apply to

JAMES GIRVAN,

no. 198, Chesnut street, next door to the premises.

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ALL PERSONS,

INDEBTED to the Estate of ABRAHAM DICKS, Esq. late Sheriff of the County of Delaware, are requested to make immediate payment, and all those who have demands against said Estate to authenticate and present them for settlement. Also, all those who have deposited writings with said deceased to apply for them to

WILLIAM PENNOCK. Adm'r.

Springfield, Delaware county, 1st mo. 8th, 1799. }

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

JUNE 27, 1798.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an act, passed during the present session of Congress, so much of the act entituled "An Act making further provision for the support of public credit, and for the redemption of the public debt"—passed the third day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, as bars from settlement or allowance, Certificates, commonly called Loan Office and final settlement Certificates, and Indents of Interests, is suspended until the twelfth day of June, which will be in the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine.

That on the liquidation and settlement of the said Certificates, and Indents of Interest, at the Treasury, the Creditors will be entitled to receive Certificates of funded Three Per Cent. Stock equal to the amount of the said Indents, and the arrearages of interest due on their said Certificates, prior to the first day of January one thousand seven hundred and ninety one.

That the principal sums of the said Loan Office and final settlement Certificates, with the interest thereon, since the first day of January, one thousand seven hundred and ninety one, will be discharged after liquidation at the Treasury, by the payment of interest and reimbursement of principal, equal to the sums which would have been payable thereon, if the said Certificates had been subscribed, pursuant to the Acts making provision for the debts of the United States, contracted during the late war, and by the payment of other sums, equal to the market value of the remaining Stock, which would have been created by such subscriptions as aforesaid, which market value will be determined by the Comptroller of the Treasury.

OLIVER WOLCOTT,
Secretary of the Treasury.

june 28 1awtf

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of Sharp Delany deceased, are requested to make payment to the subscribers. Those having claims are desired to present them properly authenticated.—

DAN. S. DELANY, THOS. R. DELANY } Administrators.

june 19. eodim.

LOST,

Either in the City, or on the road to Germantown,

SOME papers of no value but to the owner—They were enclosed in a newspaper—If delivered at this office, the person leaving them shall be rewarded.

June 14 tawtf

Valuable Lands for Sale.

ON Tuesday the 20th of August next, I shall expose to public sale, at the town of New-Market, in Dorchester county, all that valuable tract or parcel of land commonly called the Choptank Indian Lands, situated on the south side and binding on the Choptank river several miles, supposed to contain about six thousand acres, to be divided into lots to contain from 100 to 500 acres each: The terms of sale as follow, viz. Purchasers to give bond immediately after the sale with approved security, conditioned for the payment of the purchase money, with interest from the day of sale, in four equal annual instalments, agreeably to an act, entitled, "An act appointing commissioners to contract for and purchase the lands commonly called the Choptank Indian Lands in Dorchester county, and for appropriating the same to the use of this state, and to repeal the act of assembly therein mentioned;" passed at November session, 1798.

WM. MARBURY, Agent for the state of Maryland.

april 19. d3m

Samuel Miles, jun'r.

Of the city of Philedelphia, merchant, having assigned over all his effects, real, personal and mixed, to the subscribers, for the benefit of such of his creditors as may subscribe to the said assignment on or before the first of August next.

Notice is hereby given,

To all persons indebted to the said estate, tha they are requested to make immediate payment to either of the assignees or to the said Samuel Miles, who is authorised to receive the same; in failure whereof legal steps will be taken for the recovery of such debts, as are not discharged accordingly.

GEORGE ASTON,
CORNELIS COMEGYS,
JOHN ALLEN, } Assignees

feb. 14. 3awtf

Twenty Dollars Reward.

DESERTED,

FROM the Marine Barracks, corner of Filbert and Thirteenth-streets, in the City of Philadelphia, the 28th day of this instant Two Marines, by trade Tailors, one John Crawford (the second time of his desertion) five feet seven inches high, fair complexion, hair cut close, dark eyes, slim built.—The other, Hilary Bishop five feet six inches high, ruddy complexion, sandy hair, a remarkable ringworm on the left of his lip.—(Went off in uniform.)

N B. They took with them one brown cloth Coat, one blue cloth Coat, and many other articles not known at present.

W. W. BURROWS,
Major Commandant of Marine Corps

may 29

A VENDRE.

(Si l' on se presente sans retard.)

DES TERRES EXCELLENTS, situées dans le comté d' Arundel, près de la Ville d' Annapolis, et à environs 30 milles de la cité de Washington. Une de ces Terres a une superbe maison en brique, à trois étages, contenant 4 chambres sur chaque étage. La situation en est charmante, l' air y est bien sain, et le voisinage est des plus agréable.—Ces Terres se vendront en petits lots, ou bien en gros, comme il pourra convenir aux acheteurs. Il y a aussi plusieurs petites habitations sur ses, Terres, don. le loyer par an monte à une somme considerable. Si l' on vendroit une description plus particulière, il faut adresser à l'imprimerie de cette feuille.

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The Subscriber offers for Sale,

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY.

AN Excellent three story Brick House, situate the corner of 7th and Race-streets;—the house is about 25 feet front and well finished in every respect; the Lot is 76 feet front on Race-street and 88 feet deep, the situation remarkably airy, having a public square open in Front of it.

Two three story Brick Houses, Brick Stores, and good Wharf, situate in Water-street, between Arch and Race-streets, the lot on which these buildings are, is fifty four feet front on Water-street, and continues that width about 95 feet, then widens to the south 13 feet 6 inches, so that the front on the water is sixty seven feet six inches, this lot adjoins John Steinmetz esq. on the south, and has the advantage of a public alley on the north, and is a very desirable situation for the business of a Flour Factor, or Merchant

A large elegant two story Stone House, situate on the Point no Point road, being the first house to the Northward of the five mile stone; this house is about 60 feet front and 40 feet deep finished in a neat manner; there is a good garden and choice collection of the best fruit trees, Ice-House and other conveniences with about nine acres of ground—or if more agreeable to the purchaser, thirty two acres of upland and meadow may be added to it.

A plantation in Bibirry Township, Philadelphia county near the Red Lyon, about 13 miles from this city; bounded by the Northampton Road and Poquessing Creek, this farm contains about 140 acres of land, a proportion of which is woodland and meadow, a brick dwelling-house, frame barn, and other out-houses, and there is said to be a good stone quarry on part of it, although it has not yet been opened, a further description is deemed unnecessary as no person will purchase without viewing the premises,

A small plantation in Horsham Township, Montgomery county, nineteen miles from Philadelphia, adjoining to Grame Park, on which is an excellent new Stone House and Kitchen, with a large Stone Shed for the accommodation of traveller's horses; the house is now occupied as a tavern, and is suitable for any kind of public business, the land is good in quality, a good neighborhood, and a remarkably healthy situation: there is fifty acres of land and meadow in this farm——Also for sale, several tracts of land in different counties of this state

☞ The House in Race-street first mentioned and one of the Houses in Water-street, are now

TO BE LET,

And immediate possession given. For terms apply at the South-east corner of Arch and Sixth-streets, to

JOSEPH BALL.

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